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WHEREAS on November 9, 2007 Plaintiffs SMITHKLINE BEECHAM CORPORATION
d/b/a/ GLAXOSMITHKLINE ("GSK") filed its complaint against Defendant ABBOTT
LABORATORIES ("Defendant");

WHEREAS on November 14, 2007 GSK served Defendant with its Complaint and, shortly thereafter, the case was related to existing Case No. C-04-01511 CW Doe 1 et al. v. Abbott Laboratories and reassigned to the Honorable Claudia Wilken;

WHEREAS this Joint Stipulation does not alter the date of any event or deadline already fixed by Court order;

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by and between the attorneys for GSK and Defendant, and pursuant to Local Rule 6-1, that the time for Defendant to answer, or otherwise respond to GSK's complaint is extended by 30 (thirty) days from the original December 4, 2007 deadline and that, if Defendant files a motion under Rule 12 or a motion related to venue, it will not notice those motions for hearing on a date earlier than February 21, 2008, and will serve such motions so that GSK has at least 28 days to file its opposition. Accordingly, Abbott's response to the GSK complaint is now due on or before January 3, 2008. Nothing herein shall change or otherwise affect any dates currently set per the Court's scheduling order with regard to initial disclosures, the Rule 26(f) conference or other matters.

IT IS SO STIPULATED, THROUGH COUNSEL OF RECORD.

November 28, 2007 Dated: By: __/s/ Alexander F. Wiles_ Alexander F. Wiles **IRELL & MANELLA LLP** Counsel for Plaintiff November 28, 2007 Dated: By: __/s/ Nicole M. Norris_ Nicole M. Norris WINSTON & STRAWN LLP Counsel for Defendant

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GENERAL ORDER 45 ATTESTATION

I, Nicole M. Norris, am the ECF User whose ID and password was used to file this Joint Stipulation to Extend Time to Answer or Otherwise Respond. In compliance with General Order 45, X.B., I hereby attest that Alexander F. Wiles, counsel for GSK, concurred in this filing.

Dated: <u>November 28, 2007</u>

By: /s/ Nicole M. Norris
Nicole M. Norris
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